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Applicants: Basiji et al. Attorney Docket No. BIOL0029  
Serial No.: 09/976,238 Group Art Unit: 1645  
Filed: October 12, 2001 Examiner:  
Title: METHODS FOR SYNTHESIZING REPORTER LABELED BEADS

TRANSMITTAL LETTER OF PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT AND  
SUPPLEMENTAL COMBINED DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY

Bellevue, Washington 98004

June 25, 2002

TO THE DIRECTOR OF THE PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE:

A. Preliminary Amendment Transmittal

Transmitted herewith is a preliminary amendment in the above-identified patent application.

- \_\_\_ 1. No additional claim fee is required, as shown below.  
X 2. The claim fee has been calculated, as shown below.  
X 3. Check No. 5989 in the amount of \$474 is enclosed to cover the fee shown.

<u>Computation of Fee For Claims as Amended</u>					
	<u>Claims Remaining after Amendment</u>	<u>Highest Number Previously Paid For</u>	<u>Present Extra</u>	<u>Rate</u>	<u>Additional Fee</u>
Total Claims	40	20	20	x \$9	\$180
Independent Claims	10	3	7	x 42	<u>294</u>
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT					<u>\$474</u>

B. Transmittal of Supplemental Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney

Transmitted herewith is a Supplemental Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney in the above-identified patent application as provided for in the attached Amendment and Request for Reconsideration.

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1 C. Additional Fee Charges or Credit for Overpayment

2 Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 01-1940.

3 A copy of this sheet is enclosed.

4 Respectfully submitted,

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